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Dear Sir:

This correspondence is responsive to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004. Applicant requests continued examination of the present application and by so doing also withdraws the application from appeal in order that the following amendments may be entered and the following remarks may be considered.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.